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VOLUNTEERISM

Community is more than a physical place. Community can be a neighborhood or a group of people with a common interest or challenge. It could be Master Gardeners responding to the needs of local citizens or gardeners trying to make their vegetables thrive. Or maybe

community is 4-H Club **Volunteers** helping youth to belong to something bigger than themselves or youth needing guidance and support. There are many faces of community. Within Cooperative Extension, community is extended, community is brightened, and community is strengthened by the engagement of **volunteers**.

Join us for the **2007 National Extension Volunteer Conference** as we prepare ourselves and our Extension organization for heightened and diverse **volunteer** involvement and a bigger and brighter community.

WHO: Extension State Specialists, staff and educators in Volunteerism, Community Service, Leadership Development and related programs.

WHEN: April 16 -19, 2007

WHERE: Rock Springs 4-H Center
Junction City, Kansas
Web site: <http://rocksprings.net>

REGISTRATION: Detailed information available June 2006

PROPOSALS: Call for Proposals June 2006

- Submission Deadline late July 2006
- Selection process completed by mid September 2006

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